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## PRINCE ITO TELLS THE COREANS THE TRUTH

**DECLARES JAPAN'S HELP IN COREA IS ABSOLUTELY ESSENTIAL TO SAFETY.**

SEOUL, Corea, Feb. 3. (Via San Francisco, Feb. 23.)—That the strongest impression he retains of his tour of Northern Corea is that Japan must continue fearlessly in her attitude of protection and guidance toward the Coreans, was the declaration of Prince Ito, Japanese resident general in Corea, on the day following the return of the imperial party to Seoul. Prince Ito said that he had observed the conditions obtaining throughout the empire very closely and, speaking directly to the Coreans, said that despite the dislike of interference by the Japanese, and no matter how irksome it appeared, it was the high duty of Japan to help Corea and in so doing preserve and safeguard the peace of the Far East.

The Prince declared that the weakness and helplessness of Corea were obvious to any impartial observer. While the Coreans would refuse to admit this, very naturally, he said, the fact remained that there was no hope for the empire without the protection of Japan. This, Prince Ito announced, would be the substance of his report to his emperor on his return to Japan.

Both the emperor, who is in splendid health, and spirits since his return from the North, and Prince Ito have granted audiences to the leading residents of Pinyang and the foreign missionaries. To the latter the Prince said that he made no difference in act or thought between the various creeds. He said that the good work of the missions in the enlightenment and civilization of Corea was self-evident and that in his own efforts toward the political salvation of the country he desired the aid and co-operation of the missionaries and native Christians.

The expression of good will voiced by the Prince were received with enthusiasm and have created a feeling of friendliness toward the Japanese administration of Corean affairs, among the missionaries of Pinyang.

In addressing his fellow countrymen resident in Seoul, Prince Ito said that any marked improvement in conditions in Corea could not be

achieved until the economic weakness of the empire had been overcome. He dwelt at length on the need for the development of the natural resources of Corea, stating that he had worked and would work unceasingly to this end.

Prince Ito concluded his remarks by urging both Japanese and Coreans to work with the common objects in view and thereby serve the best interests of every resident of the empire.

### STABBED BY HER FATHER.

**Salt Lake City Woman Is Victim Of Unexplained Attack.**

SALT LAKE CITY, Feb. 23.—While lying on her bed soothing her 22 months old baby into sleep, Mrs. I. Taylor was stabbed in the breast last night by her father, Theodore Syphus, aged 52 years, and was only saved from further attack by the timely interference of her 16 year old brother, Theodore Syphus, Jr.

Mrs. Taylor had been staying at the home of her parents for the past few days. About 10:30 o'clock the father entered the home, apparently under the influence of liquor and going to his daughter's room started to grab her, at the same time showing a knife. As the daughter, with a shriek of terror, tried to protect herself, Syphus plunged the blade into her left breast just over the heart. As he pulled out the blood stained knife and drew back his arm for another thrust, Theodore, Jr., who had heard her scream for help, ran into the room and hurling the father aside, picked his sister up in his arms and half dragged and half carried her to the home of a neighbor. It is believed that she will recover.

Syphus who was placed under arrest, immediately refused to assign any cause for the assault.

### CONSCIENCE DRIVEN.

**Army Officer Shoots Himself To Death In New York.**

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—Lieutenant John J. Muller of the 8th Infantry, who died at the Bellevue Hospital last night, after shooting himself through the head at the Union Hotel, figured in a court martial case in the Philippines about a year ago, involving a charge of allowing Filipino prisoners to be cruelly tortured but he was acquitted, although Brigadier General Albert Mills, commanding officer to the Department of the Visayas, protested against the finding of the court.

With Lieutenant Muller, Lieutenant C. R. Bennett, also of the 8th Infantry, was tried by court martial. The charges were that they permitted the presidents of Tiosa Island of Leyte, and his friends, to torture prisoners. The fingers of the victims were crushed in a vice, it was alleged, to extort information they were supposed to possess.

Chaplain E. B. Smith, U. S. A., of Governor's Island, was asked if he thought that the court martial had had any effect on Lieutenant Muller's life, and he said he could see no reason why it should have made him morose, in view of the fact that he was honestly and fairly acquitted.

### Taft and Booker T.

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—President-elect Taft and Booker T. Washington, the eminent negro educator, will speak from the same platform at Carnegie Hall tonight in the interest of the movement for the industrial education of Southern negroes. Mr. Taft it is expected will discuss policies to be pursued by his administration as related to the negro in the South. The work of the Hampton Institute in Virginia also will be a topic of discussion.

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## JUNIOR REPUBLICS AND THEIR TEACHINGS

**SPLENDID ATTEMPT TO MAKE COMING CITIZENRY MANFUL AND INDEPENDENT**

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—That the teaching of citizenship in a democracy may soon supplant the present paternal and aristocratic form of government in every school in this country is the object of a general movement that was set on foot in this city to-day. Following the principles of self-rule which have made hundreds of boys and girls sent as "incorrigibles" to the George Junior Republic in this state during the last fourteen years, an effort will be made to have all children fitted to be independent and self-reliant Americans before every thing else. With a junior republic already established in California, New York, Connecticut and Maryland, and others being set up to-day in Massachusetts, New Jersey, Pennsylvania and projected in many more states, the organizers of this new school system are preparing to carry their object lesson into every public and private school throughout the nation.

One of the leading preparatory schools in this part of the country is already making plans to revolutionize its methods and put its pupils on the basis of citizens in a little republic of their own, it was announced at the headquarters of the National Association of Junior Republics at 22 William Street to-day. The term "master" is to be abolished and well-bred boys are to learn to become bosses of themselves instead of servants of a political boss. In the public schools of this city as well as in a score of private and public educational institutions in this state the junior republic idea is reported to be at present applied substantially as it is in the successful substitute for the reformatory which Mr. George has worked out.

"The teaching under a democracy must be different from under all the other systems of government," said Thomas K. Osborne, president of the National Association of Junior Republics in this city to-day. "We have reformed our methods of teaching somewhat in the schools, but we have not carried the reform to the bottom as yet. We still call the teacher the master. This is a relic of paternalism. Our American system of education has not only the fallacies of paternalism in it; but it has the fallacies of aristocracy as well. Go to some boarding school and you will find as charming a little company of aristocrats as ever was. In the public schools you will find paternalism flourishing to a dangerous extent. Why? Because the students are trained not to be citizens but the servants of a political boss. And yet, the very life of the Republic depends on them."

Educators in every section of the country will be invited to make an inspection of the George Junior Republic, which are to-day spreading into many states, and consider the adoption of their principles of child rule in every field of school work. Before teachers' conventions, school and college faculties and bodies of parents this successful method of making strong citizens instead of tools for any boss will be urged as the prime object for every child.

### Arrest Crazy Man—

Officer Linville found a fellow who claimed his name was Nels Jonasson on Commercial street early this morning with only his underclothes on and who told an incoherent tale to the officer and also said his head was hurting him. He could not tell where he came from so he was locked up and will be examined today as to his sanity.

### BONUS FOR WEDDING.

CHICAGO, Feb. 23.—The proposed wedding at the cement show, at which the couple united will receive material for a \$3000 concrete home, has been unavoidably postponed. There are 20 applicants, but on account of the fact that on Washington's Birthday the marriage license department closed at noon, none of the applicants appeared there in time to get the necessary document. The marriage license clerk will be delegated to select the lucky pair.

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### TALK OF CANNED GOODS.

CHICAGO, Feb. 23.—Retail grocers and manufacturers of canned goods met last night at a "Harmony dinner." The placing of labels and time stamps on canned goods, as proposed by the government, was discussed in an address by J. M. McFall of Gibson City, Ill.

"Suppose a customer desired a can of corn on February 22, 1920," he said, "and was given corn canned in 1909. It would be rejected with a demand for 'something fresher,' and although the 1909 article would be found as fresh as that of 1920, it would be lost."

"At a recent banquet in London canned fruit found in the ruins of Pompeii was found to be fresh and fine."

"There should be a law to compel the canning of all products in a manner that they would keep for ages just as wine or whiskey improve with age."

## Court Decides Neilson Case

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States.

The pertinent question involved in this case is, what does "concurrent jurisdiction," as used in the enabling acts of the State of Washington and Oregon mean. In this case the plaintiff in error was a bona fide resident of the State of Washington, and had complied with the statutes of the State of Washington in regard to fishing on the Columbia river with purse-nets.

The State of Oregon has passed a penal statute prohibiting fishing with purse-nets on the Columbia river, while the State of Washington has passed a law allowing fishing with purse-nets on the Columbia river upon the payment of a certain license fee. The two States instead of passing the same or similar laws, have passed laws diametrically opposed to each other.

The contention of counsel for the plaintiff in this case is that the States of Washington and Oregon, each in its sovereign right, own the bed of the Columbia river up to the boundary line where the river forms the common boundary between them, and each has in its territorial limits, exclusive sovereignty over all permanent structures attached to the river bed, the fish therein, and the power to regulate the taking of such fish.

That concurrent jurisdiction means that where both States have passed the same or similar laws in relation to civil or criminal matters, then either State may enforce its laws over its boundaries where the river forms the common boundary; that until each State has passed the same or similar laws, neither State can enforce its laws outside of its own territorial limits.

### STUART IN TROUBLE.

Not in years has the Portland police department been so stirred as by the arrest Sunday morning of Patrolman Dick Stuart, known here in Astoria as "Long Stuart," in a raid on the Hotel Quelle, and it is understood that the members of the first night relief are starting a fund for the purpose of retaining counsel to defend the accused bluecoat. The action of the patrolmen is a direct slap at "Detective" Kay, of the "moral squad," who, it is claimed, engineered the downfall of Stuart out of motives of revenge, and before the case is finally tried there is likelihood of sensational developments.

It has been learned that Sergeant Kay and his willings aides knew that the policeman was in the Quelle at 1:30 a. m., but for some reason the raid was not made until three hours later. When the raiders finally descended on the place they were unable to find any guests in the place with the exception of Stuart and Jessie Jones and an elderly couple named Early. From this it is inferred an advance tip was furnished of the coming of the "crusaders."

### URGED TO STRIKE.

**Japanese Newspapers Would Have Laborers Get More Wages.**

HONOLULU, Feb. 23.—Urging Japanese plantation laborers to strike for higher wages and if necessary appeal to their government for warships to back up their demands, Shinbun, a Japanese newspaper published at Hilo, proposes as a last resort that the Japanese leave Hawaii if the demands are not complied with. Shinbun is supported by the Nippo, a newspaper published here.

## PARROT GETS PET BEAR VERY ANGRY

**CUB DIGS OUT AND MAKES A MADDENED CHASE AFTER HIM.**

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23.—Goaded beyond endurance by the taunts and gibes of a parrot which made its home in a tree near her den in Golden Gate Park, Mary, an Alaskan bear cub, burrowed from the cage yesterday and made frantic efforts to reach her tormenter. The parrot, which is a huge bird of the gorgeous Mexican variety, has the freedom of the park, most of which she spends in a tree above the bear den yelling "Naughty Mary" and other unseemly gibes at the Alaskan bear cub. Attracted by the holiday and the beautifully warm Spring air, the park was thronged with people yesterday and the rude bird took advantage of the occasion to call Mary names while the bear was receiving the attention of a host of children, who regard the cub and her mate, Nigger, their especial pets. This was the last straw for the long suffering bear and burrowing through the rain-softened earth, she was soon in pursuit of the parrot. John McHenry, caterer, of the children's playground, who was playing with the bird at the time, made a hasty getaway and did not stop until he reached the park lodge, where he informed Superintendent McLaren. McLaren and the park police after a council of war, set out in pursuit of the bear which they found sitting under a limb on which the parrot was perched just out of reach. The bird was fluttering its wings in the face of the cub and sputtering unspeakable insults upon the cub.

Resorts to shooting were suggested as the best means of subduing the bear, but a park employee, who knows Mary's pet weakness, tolled her back into the cage with a bucket of bread and milk. After partaking of the breakfast, Mary vented her spleen on her mate, Nigger, which she cuffed about the cage without rest for the remainder of the day.

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